

House File 441 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to certain criteria to be considered in
- 2 determining whether a substantial change in circumstances
- 3 exists to modify a support order.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 598.21C, subsection 1, Code 2021, is
2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:

3 NEW PARAGRAPH. 01. Violation of a protective order or a
4 no-contact order issued against a party.

5 EXPLANATION

6 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
7 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

8 This bill provides that in determining whether a substantial
9 change in circumstances exists as a basis for modification of
10 a child, spousal, or medical support order, the court shall
11 consider the violation of a protective order or a no-contact
12 order issued against a party.